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A new boilerhouse, twice as large as the old boilerhouse, was built at Object 96 at Freital. Except for the installation of windows and doors it was completed in May 1956. The new building houses a large modern boiler plant with automatic coal feeders. The furnace house which was closed down in 1952 was improved in the spring of 1956. The old coal drying ovens were dismantled and were being replaced by electric drying ovens prior to 17 May 1956. Production is to be increased after the completion of the boiler house and furnace house, and concentrates will be delivered again in a dry condition as was the case prior to 1952.

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6. Prior to September 1955, about 320 to 360 boxes of compressed ore and grade-III ore were daily shipped. The target figure for July was 3,200 boxes.

No statements could be made on the quantity of active material mined.

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